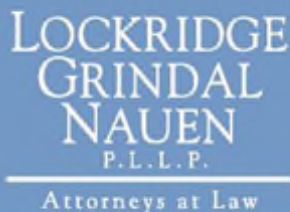


# EXHIBIT A



## Lockridge Grindal Nauen P.L.L.P.

For more than 40 years, Lockridge Grindal Nauen P.L.L.P. has served clients throughout the Midwest and in Washington, D.C. Our attorneys and lobbyists have extensive experience in local, state, and federal government relations as well as antitrust, business, campaign finance, consumer, data breach, governmental, health care, employment, environmental, ERISA, intellectual property, real estate, securities, and tribal law and litigation.

Our firm represents clients of all shapes and sizes, taking the time to understand each client's goals and aspirations before tailoring our representation to meet their individual needs, whether they be in the courtroom, the halls of Congress, city hall, or in their state capitol.

Our clients include local and tribal governments, health care professionals and organizations, real estate developers, energy companies, telecommunications providers, casualty insurers, trade and industry associations, health and pension funds, unions, as well as issue-based coalitions.

Lockridge Grindal Nauen's attorneys and government relations professionals are assisted by an extensive support staff. The firm has offices in Minneapolis, Minnesota, Bismarck, North Dakota, and Washington, D.C.

### Cases

**Lockridge Grindal Nauen serves or has served as Lead or Co-Lead counsel in these recent cybersecurity, privacy, and data breach cases:**

- *In re: Capital One Consumer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 19-md-02915 (E.D. Va.)
- *In re: BPS Direct, LLC, and Cabela's LLC, Wiretapping*, No. 23-md-03074 (E.D. Pa.)
- *In re Arby's Restaurant Group, Inc. Data Security Litig.*, No. 17-00514 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In re: Community Health Systems, Inc., Customer Security Data Breach Litig.*, No. 15-00222-KOB (N.D. Ala.)
- *Greater Chautauqua Federal Credit Union, et al. v. Kmart Corporation, et al.*, No. 15-02228 (N.D. Ill.)
- *Johnson et al. v. Cornerstone National Insurance Co.*, No. 22-cv-04135-WJE (W.D. Mo.)
- *Holmes et al. v. Elephant Insurance Co. et al.*, No. 3:22-cv-00487 (E.D. Va.)

**The firm has also served in leadership positions in other relevant cases throughout the United States:**

- *In re Target Corp. Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 14-md-02522-PAM (D. Minn.) (liaison counsel and member of Plaintiffs' leadership committee)
- *In re Yahoo! Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 16-02752 (N.D. Cal.) (appointed member of Executive Committee)
- *Baker v. ParkMobile, LLC*, No. 21-cv-2182 (N.D. Ga.) (appointed member of Plaintiffs' Steering Committee)
- *In re Home Depot, Inc., Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 14-02583 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In re Netgain Technology, LLC, Consumer Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-cv-01210 (D. Minn.) (appointed chair of Plaintiffs' Executive Committee)
- *In re GEICO Customer Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-02210 (E.D.N.Y.) (appointed pre-approved member of leadership team)
- *Beck v. Austin*, No. 19-cv-01453 (D. Minn.) (appointed settlement class counsel)

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- *In re EpiPen ERISA Litig.*, No. 17-cv-1884 (D. Minn.) (appointed liaison counsel)
- *Zimmerman v. Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc.*, No. 02-cv-19-6522 (Anoka Cty. Dist. Ct.)
- *Bellwether Community Credit Union v. Chipotle Mexican Grill, Inc.*, 17-01102 (D. Co.)
- *Veridian Credit Union v. Eddie Bauer LLC*, No. 17-00356 (W.D. Wash.)
- *In re Facebook, Inc. Customer Privacy User Profile Litig.*, No. 18-02843 (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re Premera Blue Cross Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 15-2633 (D. Or.)
- *First Choice Federal Credit Union et al. v. The Wendy's Company et al.*, No. 16-00506 (W.D. Pa.)
- *In re Equifax, Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 17-02800 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In Re iPhone Application Litig.*, Civil No. 10-CV-05878-LHK (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re Warner Music Group Data Breach*, No. 20-cv-07473 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In re Wawa, Inc. Data Security Litig.*, No. 19-6019 (E.D. Pa.)

**In other District Courts, Lockridge Grindal Nauen served or serves as Lead or Co-Lead Counsel in the following cases, among others:**

- *D&M Farms et al. v. Birdsong Corp. et al.*, No. 2:19-cv-0463-HCM-LRL (E.D. Va.)
- *In re Broiler Chicken Antitrust Litig.*, No. 1:16-cv-08737 (N.D. Ill.)
- *In re Pork Antitrust Litig.*, No. 18-cv-01776-JRT-HB (D. Minn.)
- *Peterson v. BASF Corp.*, Civil No. C2-97-295 (Norman Cnty. Dist. Ct., Minn.)
- *In re Beef Purchasers Antitrust Litig.* (aka, *Peterson v. JBS USA Food Co. Holdings et al.*), No. 0:19-cv-01129 (D. Minn.)
- *Judith Thorkelson, et al. v. Publishing House of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, et al.*, Court File 10-01712 (D. Minn.)
- *In Re Baycol Products Litig.*, MDL No. 1431 (D. Minn.)
- *Benacquisto, et al. v. American Express Financial Corp. et al.*, Master File No. 00-1980 (D. Minn.), Civil Action No. 96-18477 (Henn. Cty. Dist. Ct.) (insurance class action)
- *In Re HardiePlank Fiber Cement Siding Litig.*, MDL No. 2359 (D. Minn.)
- *In Re Lutheran Brotherhood Variable Insurance Products Co. Sales Practices Litig.*, MDL No. 1309 (D. Minn.)
- *In Re Monosodium Glutamate Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1328 (D. Minn.)
- *In Re Northstar Education Finance, Inc. Contract Litig.*, MDL 08-1990 (D. Minn.)
- *In Re Piper Funds, Inc. Institutional Government Income Portfolio Litig.*, Master File No. 3-94-587 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Turkey Antitrust Litig.*, No. 1:19-cv-08318 (N.D. Ill.)
- *In re Surescripts Antitrust Litig.*, No. 1:19-cv-06627 (N.D. Ill.)
- *Olean Wholesale Grocery Cooperative, et al. v. Agri Stats, Inc., et al.*, No. 1:19-cv-08318 (N.D. Ill.)
- *In re Freight Forwarders Antitrust Litigation (Precision Associates, Inc. v. Panalpina World Transport (Holding) Ltd., et al.)*, No. 1:08-cv-42-JG-VVP (E.D.N.Y.)
- *In Re Catfish Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 928 (N.D. Miss.)
- *In Re CertainTeed Corp. Roofing Shingle Products Liability Litig.*, MDL 1817 (E.D. Pa.)
- *George Guenther, et al. v. Cooper Life Sciences, et al. (Cooper Life Sciences Securities Litig.)*, No. C 89-1823 MHP (N.D. Cal.)
- *In Re IKO Roofing Shingle Products Liability Litig.*, MDL No. 2104 (C.D. Ill.)
- *In Re Kitec Plumbing Systems Products Liab. Litig.* MDL No. 2098 (N.D. Tex.)
- *Meyers v. The Guardian Life Insurance Company of America, Inc. Litig.*, Civil No. 2:97CV35-D-B (N.D. Miss.)
- *In Re Polypropylene Carpet Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1075 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In Re: Potash Antitrust Litigation (II)*, MDL No. 1996 (N.D. Ill.)
- *In Re Residential Doors Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1039 (E.D. Pa.)
- *Gary G. Smith, et al. v. Little Caesar Enterprises, Inc., et al. (Little Caesar Franchise Litig.)*, Civil No. 93 CV 74041 DT (E.D. Mich.)

- *In Re Unisys Savings Plan Litig.*, Master File No. 91-3067 (E.D. Pa.)

**LGN also has or had substantial involvement in the following litigation:**

- *Baysal v. Midvale Indemnity Company et al.*, No. 21-cv-00394 (W.D. Wis.)
- *Park v. American Family Life Insurance Company et al.*, No. 22-cv-171 (W.D. Wis.)
- *Greenstate Credit Union v. Hy-Vee, Inc.* No. 20-cv-00621 (D. Minn.)
- *Greenstein et al. v. Noblr Reciprocal Exchange*, No. 21-04537 (N.D. Cal.)
- *Stallone v. Farmers Group, Inc. et al.*, No. 2:2021-cv-01659 (D. Nev.)
- *In re Generic Pharmaceuticals Pricing Antitrust Litig.*, Case No. 2:16-MD-02724 (E.D. Penn.)
- *In Re Air Cargo Shipping Services Antitrust Litig.*, Civil No. 1:06-md-1775-CBA-VVP (E.D.N.Y.)
- *Staley v. Gilead Sciences, Inc.*, No. 3:19-cv-02573-EMC (N.D. Ca.)
- *American Telephone and Telegraph Antitrust Litig.*, Civil Action No. 81-2623 (D.D.C.)
- *In Re AOL Time Warner Securities Litig.*, MDL No. 1500 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In Re Blue Cross Blue Shield Subscriber Litig.*, Master File No. 19-C3-98-7780 (Dakota Cnty. Dist. Ct., Minn.)
- *In Re Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. Premium Litig.*, MDL No. 1336 (C.D. Cal.)
- *Davenport, et al. v. Illinois Farmers Insurance Company, et al.*, Case No. CIV-03-158-F (W.D. Ok.)
- *In Re Delphi Corporation Securities, ERISA, and Shareholder Derivative Litig.*, Master Case No. 05-md-1725 (E.D. Mich.)
- *In Re Domestic Air Transportation Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 861 (N.D. Ga.)
- *Eliason v. Gentek Building Products, Inc., et al.*, Civ. No. 10-cv-2093 (N.D. Ohio) (Executive Committee)
- *In Re Federal National Mortgage Association Securities, Derivative and ERISA Litig.*, MDL No. 1668 (D.D.C.)
- *In Re Flat Glass (1) Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1200 (W.D. Pa.)
- *In Re Guidant Corp. Implantable Defibrillators Products Liability Litig.*, MDL No. 1708 (DWF/AJB)(D. Minn.)
- *Haritos, et al. v. American Express Financial Advisors, Inc.*, 02-2255-PHX-PGR (D. Ariz.)
- *In Re ICN/Viratek Securities Litig.*, 87 Civ. 4296 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In Re Lease Oil Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1166 (S.D. Tex.)
- *In Re Medtronic, Inc. Implantable Defibrillator Products Liability Litig.*, MDL No. 1726 (JMR/AJB) (D. Minn.)
- *In Re Medtronic, Inc. Sprint Fidelis Leads Products Liability Litig.*, MDL 08-1905 (D. Minn.) (Liaison Counsel)
- *In Re Merck & Co., Inc., Securities, Derivative & ERISA Litig.*, No. 3:05-cv-1151 (D.N.J.)
- *In Re Meridia Products Liability Litig.*, MDL No. 1481 (N. D. Ohio)
- *In Re Nasdaq Market-Maker Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1023 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In re Payment Card Interchange Fee and Merchant Discount Antitrust Litig.*, MDL No. 1720 (E.D.N.Y.)
- *Ohio Public Employees Retirement System, et al. v. Freddie Mac, et al.*, MDL No. 1584 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In Re Propulsid Products Liability Litig.*, MDL No. 1355 (E.D. La.)
- *In Re Rezulin Litig.*, MDL No. 1348 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In Re Vioxx Product Liability Litig.*, MDL No. 1657 (E.D. La.)
- *In Re Vytorin/Zetia Marketing, Sales Practices, and Products Liability Litig.*, MDL 1938 (D.N.J.)
- *In Re Worldcom, Inc. Securities Litig.*, No. 02-CV-3288 (S.D.N.Y.)





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### Practices

Antitrust Law

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### Education

University of Minnesota Law School, 2011

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Macalester College, Communication Studies B.A.,  
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### Bar Admissions

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### Court Admissions

Minnesota

U.S. District Court, District of Minnesota

U.S. Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, Seventh Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit

U.S. Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit

## Kate M. Baxter-Kauf

Kate Baxter-Kauf's practice is concentrated in the firm's antitrust law, data breach, business litigation, and securities litigation practice groups. She represents individuals, consumers, financial institutions and small businesses in litigation to protect their rights and, most often, the rights of the class members they seek to represent. Ms. Baxter-Kauf is a 2011 *magna cum laude* and Order of the Coif graduate of the University of Minnesota Law School. While in law school, she served as an Articles Editor for the Minnesota Law Review and interned with the Honorable Magistrate Judge Janie S. Mayeron of the United States District Court for the District of Minnesota. She also spent her 2L summer in the Summer Law Intern Program at the Department of Justice Antitrust Division's Networks and Technology Enforcement Section. Prior to joining the firm, Ms. Baxter-Kauf clerked for the Honorable Alan C. Page, the Honorable Helen M. Meyer, and the Honorable Christopher J. Dietzen, Associate Justices of the Minnesota Supreme Court.

Before law school, Ms. Baxter-Kauf was an award-winning coach of high school and college policy debate teams across the country and facilitated debate teams at Twin Cities urban middle and high schools. She coached the 2003 National Forensic League policy debate national champions.

### Cases with Leadership Roles

- *In re: Apple Data Privacy Litigation*, No. 22-cv-07069 (N.D. Cal.) – appointed member of Plaintiffs' Steering Committee
- *In re: BPS Direct, LLC, and Cabela's LLC, Wiretapping*, No. 23-md-03074 (E.D. Pa.) – appointed Plaintiffs' Co-Lead Counsel
- *Johnson et al. v. Cornerstone National Insurance Co.*, No. 22-cv-04135 (W.D. Mo.) – appointed Interim Co-Lead Class Counsel
- *Holmes v. Elephant Insurance Co. et al.*, No. 22-cv-487 (E.D. Va.) – appointed co-lead class counsel
- *Baker v. ParkMobile, LLC*, No. 21-cv-2182 (N.D. Ga.) – appointed member of Plaintiffs' Steering Committee
- *In re Netgain Technology, LLC, Consumer Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-cv-01210 (D. Minn.) – appointed chair of the Plaintiffs' Executive Committee
- *Beck v. Austin*, No. 19-cv-01453 (D. Minn.) – appointed settlement class counsel
- *In re EpiPen ERISA Litig.*, No. 17-cv-1884 (D. Minn.) – appointed liaison counsel
- *In re GEICO Customer Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-02210 (E.D.N.Y.) – appointed pre-approved member of leadership team
- *In re Wholesale Grocery Products Antitrust Litigation*, MDL No. 2090 (D. Minn.) – member of the trial team

## Professional Associations

- Federal Bar Association (Co-Chair, Class and Mass Action and MDL Committee)
- Minnesota State Bar Association (Appellate Practice Section and Participant, Public Defender Appellate Pro Bono Project)
- The Sedona Conference (Steering Committee Member, Working Group 11 – Data Security and Privacy Liability)
- Minnesota Women Lawyers
- National Association of Shareholder and Consumer Attorneys
- Minnesota Supreme Court Historical Society

## Professional Recognition and Awards

- Named an Attorney of the Year for 2022 by Minnesota Lawyer Magazine for pro bono appeal work.
- Named a Minnesota Super Lawyer for 2022-23 and a Minnesota Rising Star from 2015-2021 by Super Lawyers®.
- Named a Rising Star by Law360 in the area of Cybersecurity & Privacy in 2018.
- Named an ‘Up & Coming Attorney’ by Minnesota Lawyer for 2016.
- Named a ‘North Star Lawyer’ by the Minnesota State Bar Association for 2015-2021 in recognition of pro bono work.
- Recognized for HCBA Centennial Pro Bono Challenge Completion in August 2020.

## Community Involvement

- Minnesota Urban Debate League Advisory Board (Board Member)
- Macalester-Groveland Community Council (Chair, Inclusivity Task Force)
- Pro-Choice Minnesota Foundation Board of Directors (Past Chair & Board Member)
- American Constitution Society
- Randolph Heights PTA (Past President)

- *Zimmerman v. Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc.*, No. 02-cv-19-6522 (Anoka Cty. Dist. Ct.) – appointed settlement class counsel

## Data Breach & Privacy Cases

- *Adkins v. Facebook, Inc.*, No. 18-cv-05982 (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re Anthem, Inc. Data Breach*, No. 15-md-02617 (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re Arby's Rest. Group, Inc. Data Security Litig.*, No. 17-00514 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In re Banner Health Data Breach Litigation*, No. 16-cv-02696 (D. Ariz.)
- *Baysal v. Midvale Indemnity Company et al*, No. 21-cv-00394 (W.D. Wis.)
- *Bellwether Community Credit Union v. Chipotle Mexican Grill, Inc.* No. 17-01102 (D. Colo.)
- *In re: Blackbaud, Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 20-mn-02972 (D.S.C.)
- *In re: Capital One Consumer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 1:19-md-2915 (E.D. Va.)
- *In re: Community Health Systems, Inc., Customer Security Data Breach Litig.*, No. 15-00222-KOB (N.D. Ala.)
- *In re Equifax, Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 17-02800 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In re Facebook, Inc., Customer Privacy Profile Litig.*, No. 18-2843 (N.D. Cal.)
- *Fero et al., v. Excellus Health Plan, Inc. et al.*, No. 15-06569 (W.D.N.Y.)
- *First Choice Federal Credit Union et al v. The Wendy's Company et al*, No. 2:16-cv-00506 (W.D. Pa.)
- *Greater Chautauqua Federal Credit Union, et al. v. Kmart Corp. et al.*, No. 15-02228 (N.D. Ill.)
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- *In re Home Depot, Inc., Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 14-02583 (N.D. Ga.)
- *Park v. American Family Life Insurance Company et al.*, No. 22-cv-171 (W.D. Wis.)
- *In re Premiera Blue Cross Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, No. 15-2633 (D. Or.)
- *SELCO Community Credit union v. Noodles & Company*, No. 16-02247 (D. Colo.)
- *Springmeyer v. Marriott International, Inc.*, No. 20-cv-00867 (D. Md.)
- *Stallone v. Farmers Group Inc. et al.*, No. 210cv001659 (D. Nev.)
- *In re: Supervalu, Inc., Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, MDL No. 2586 (D. Minn.)
- *Inre: Target Corp. Customer Data Breach Security Litig.*, MDL No. 2522 (D. Minn.)
- *Veridian Credit Union v. Eddie Bauer LLC*, No. 17-00356 (W.D. Wa.)
- *In re Warner Music Group Data Breach*, No. 20-cv-07473 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In re Wawa, Inc. Data Security Litig.*, No. 19-6019 (E.D. Pa.)
- *Inre: Yahoo! Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litig.*, MDL No. 2752 (N.D. Cal.)

## Other Cases

- *In the Matter of HarborView Mortgage Loan Trust 2005-10*, 27-TR-CV-17-32 (Henn. Cnty. Dist. Ct.) – trial team
- *Johannessoehn et al v. Polaris Industries, Inc.* No. 16-cv-03348 (D. Minn.)
- *Khoday v. Symantec Corp.*, No. 11-cv-180-JRT-TNL (D. Minn.)
- *Lutzke v. Metropolitan Council et al.*, 27-cv-19-14453 (Henn. Cnty. Dist. Ct.) – primary defense counsel
- *In re Medtronic, Inc. Shareholder Litigation*, A15-0858 (Minn.)
- *Ploss et al. v. Kraft Foods Group, Inc. et al*, Case No. 1:15-cv-2937 (N.D. Ill.)
- *In re Regions Morgan Keegan Open-End Mutual Fund Litigation*, No. 2:07-cv-02784 (W.D. Tenn.)
- *Soderstrom et al v. MSP Crossroads Apartments LLC*, No. 16-cv-233 (D. Minn.)
- *Turnidge et al v. TruGreen Limited Partnership*, No. 27-CV-14-14711 (Henn. Cnty. Dist. Ct.)
- *UrbanWorks Architecture LLC v. Hunt Associates et al*, Nos. 27-CV-14-8415 & 27-CV-16-10241 (Henn. Cnty. Dist. Ct.)

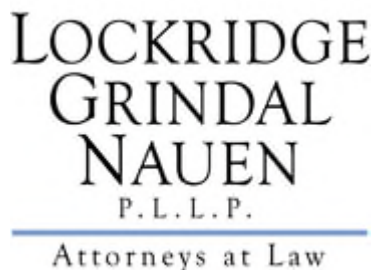
## Presentations

- Virtual [Southern Wisconsin KnowledgeNet](#), International Association of Privacy Professionals, Panelist: *The Online Tracking Era: An update on the latest compliance and litigation issues*, May 25, 2023.
- Inaugural [Class of Our Own Women's Summit](#) Summit Speaker, *Challenging Assertions of Privilege*, May 9, 2023.
- 16<sup>th</sup> Annual [Sedona Conference Institute: Data Privacy & Cybersecurity Litigation Conference](#) Faculty, *Privilege Issues and Ethics in Privacy Litigation and Incident Response*, April 13, 2023.
- 2023 [Complex Litigation eDiscovery Forum Spring Conference](#) Discussion Leader, *eDiscovery 101 Session*, March 22, 2023.
- 2023 The Nuts and Bolts of Mass Actions, 4th Annual Mass Arbitration and Mass Action Legal Forum, Panelist: *Expanding the Horizon: Cartel Damage Litigation and Antitrust Mass Actions in the EU and US*, February 23, 2023.
- 2023 [Midwest Legal Conference on Data Privacy and Cybersecurity](#) Faculty, *The Increasing Role of Privacy and Data Security in Antitrust Enforcement – Practical Implications for Data Collection and Retention*, February 2, 2023.
- [MinnCLE Antitrust Hot Spots for Business Lawyers and In-House Counsel](#) Faculty, *Practical Guidance at the Intersection of Data Protection and Antitrust*, December 5, 2023.
- 2022 Sedona Conference Working Group 11 [Midyear Meeting 2022 Dialogue Leader](#), *Notice and Consent: Biometric Facial Recognition Data*, November 2, 2022.
- 2022 Sedona conference [Working Group 11 Annual Meeting Dialogue Leader](#), *Notice and Consent: Biometric Facial Recognition Data*, April 26, 2022, and Moderator and Dialogue Leader, *Second edition of The Sedona Conference Commentary on Application of Attorney-Client Privilege and Work-Product Protection to Documents and Communications Generated in the Cybersecurity Context*, April 27, 2022.
- 2022 [31<sup>st</sup> Annual Health Benefits Conference + Expo](#), presented by the [International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans](#), February 2, 2022.
- 2021 Minnesota Building & Construction Trades Council Annual Conference, July 22, 2021. Presented, with Karen Riebel, on “Health Benefits and the Value of Robust Data Security Practices.”
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- 2021 Sedona Conference [Working Group 11 Midyear Meeting](#) Dialogue Leader and Moderator, *Has the time come for a second edition of the WG11 Commentary on Application of Attorney-Client Privilege and Work-Product Protection to Documents and Communications Generated in the Cybersecurity Context?*, October 28, 2021; Dialogue Leader, *Notice and Consent – Biometric Facial Recognition Data*, October 29, 2021.
- [Class Action Money & Ethics Conference](#), Presented by Beard Group, Inc., *Drilling in the Data Oil Fields: What's New and Trending in Data Privacy Class Actions* (June 30, 2021)
- [Third Annual Western Alliance Bank Class Action Law Forum](#), in collaboration with University of San Diego School of Law, *Privacy & Data Breach* (April 22, 2021)
- 2021 Sedona Conference [Working Group 11 Annual Meeting](#) Dialogue Leader and Moderator, *Has the time come for a second edition of the WG11 Commentary on Application of Attorney-Client Privilege and Work-Product Protection to Documents and Communications Generated in the Cybersecurity Context?* (April 14, 2021)
- 2020 Sedona Conference [Working Group 11 Midyear Meeting](#) Dialogue Leader, *Biometric Privacy Laws* (September 30, 2020)
- Data Breach Class Actions, [Practical Perspectives](#), HB Litigation Conference (May 19, 2020)
- [Rising Professionals Symposium](#), *Now That We've Found Standing, What Are We Gonna Do With It? What's on the Horizon for Data Breach Litigation*, 2019 Federal Bar Association (February 1, 2019)
- [2016 Cyber Security Summit](#), Interactive Table Top Exercise on Preparing for and Reacting to Data Breach incidents (Counsel Panelist), Cyber Security Summit Minneapolis (October 11, 2016)
- [2011 J.D. Class Commencement Address](#), University of Minnesota Law School (May 14, 2011)

## Publications

- [Modern Data Breach Litigation](#), The Hennepin Lawyer (January/February 2020)
- [Plaintiffs' Commentary on Appropriate Attorney-Client Privilege and Work-Product Protection](#), Sedona Conference Working Group 11 (June 25, 2019)
- [Great Bites in Brief](#), The Hennepin Lawyer (May/June 2017)
- [The Value of a Clerkship](#), Minn. Lawyer JDs Rising (May 2013).
- [Lean In: A Review for Young Lawyers](#), Minn. Lawyer JDs Rising (April 2013).
- [Environmental Justice and the BP Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill](#), 20 N.Y.U. Environmental L.J. 99 (2012) (with Hari M. Osofsky, Bradley Hammer, Ann Mailander, Brett Mares, Amy Pikovsky, Andrew Whitney, & Laura Wilson).
- [Breastfeeding in Custody Proceedings](#), 15 Rich. J.L. Pub. Int. 627 (2012).







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1991, Minnesota

**Court Admissions**

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U.S. District Court, District of Minnesota

Third Circuit Court of Appeals

Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals

## Karen Hanson Riebel

Karen Hanson Riebel concentrates her practice in the areas of data breach, antitrust, and securities litigation. She has litigated a number of complex class action matters and represented numerous pension funds and other institutional investors in cases involving corporate fraud. Recently, she has been on the forefront of international data breach litigation, representing financial institutions against such retailers as Target and Home Depot.

Ms. Riebel began her career by spending seven months in Anchorage, Alaska as a member of the trial team that secured a jury verdict for punitive damages in the amount of \$5 billion for a mandatory punitive damages class in *In re The Exxon Valdez*, Case No. A89-0095-CV (D. Alaska). For their efforts, Ms. Riebel and the other members of the trial team were awarded the Trial Lawyers' For Public Justice Trial Lawyers of the Year award in 1994.

### Cases with Leadership Roles

- *In re: Apple Data Privacy Litigation*, No. 22-cv-07069 (N.D. Cal.) – appointed member of Plaintiffs' Steering Committee
- *In re: Capital One Consumer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 19-md-02915 (E.D. Va.) – Co-Lead Counsel
- *In re: Community Health Systems, Inc., Customer Security Data Breach Litig.*, No. 15-00222-KOB (N.D. AL) – Co-Lead Counsel – Settled
- *In re Yahoo! Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 16-02752 (N.D. CA) – Member of four-person Plaintiffs' Executive Committee – Settled
- *In re: FedLoan Student Loan Servicing Litigation*, No. 18-02833 (E.D. Pa) – Plaintiffs' Executive Committee
- *Shores et al v. Premera Blue Cross*, No. 15-01268 (D. Or.) – Plaintiffs' Steering Committee – Settled
- *Greater Chautauqua Federal Credit Union, et al. v. Kmart Corp. et al.*, No. 15-02228 (N.D. IL) – Co-Lead Counsel for Financial Institutions – Settled
- *In re Target Corporation Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 14-02522 (D. MN) – Liaison Counsel for the Financial Institution Plaintiffs and member of Plaintiffs' Leadership Committee – Settled
- *In re Arby's Restaurant Group, Inc. Data Security Litigation*, No. 17-00514 (N.D. Ga.) – Co-Lead Counsel for Financial Institutions – Settled
- *In re Home Depot, Inc., Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 14-02583 (N.D. GA) – Financial Institution Plaintiffs' Steering Committee – Settled

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## Professional Associations

- Federal Bar Association
- Ms. Riebel served as an officer of the National Association of Shareholder & Consumer Attorneys (NASCAT) from 2007-2018
- Ms. Riebel was appointed to the Advisory Board for the Loyola University Chicago School of Law Institute for Consumer Antitrust Studies in 2018

## Professional Recognition

- Named a Minnesota Super Lawyer® from 2015-2022
- Named one of Minnesota's Top 50 Women Super Lawyers® -from 2017-2022
- Named by Best Lawyers® to their 2020 & 2022 Best Lawyers in America list

## Community Involvement

- Page Education Fund Board of Advisors
- Project for Pride in Living Board of Directors

- *Bellwether Community Credit Union v. Chipotle Mexican Grill, Inc.* No. 17-01102 (D. Co.) – Financial Institution Plaintiffs' Executive Committee – Settled
- *Veridian Credit Union v. Eddie Bauer LLC*, No. 17-00356 (W.D. Wa.) – Financial Institution Plaintiffs' Executive Committee – Settled
- *First Choice Federal Credit Union et al., v. The Wendy's Company et al.*, No. 16-00506 (W.D. PA) – Financial Institution Plaintiffs' Executive Committee – Settled
- *In re Equifax, Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 17-02800 (N.D. Ga) – Financial Institution Plaintiffs' Executive Committee – Settled

## Securities Litigation Cases

- *In re AOL Time Warner Securities Litigation*, MDL No. 1500 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In re Bristol-Myers Squibb Co. Securities Litigation*, No. 07-7867 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In re Countrywide financial Securities Litigation*, No. 07-05295 (C.D. Cal.)
- *In re Credit Suisse – AOL Securities Litigation*, No. 02-12146 (D. Mass.)
- *In re Citi-Equity Group, Inc. Securities Litigation*, No. 3-94-1024 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Delphi Corp. Securities, ERISA, and Shareholder Derivative Litigation*, No. 05-1725 (E.D. Mich.)
- *In re Digi International, Inc. Securities Litigation*, No. 97-5 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Federal National Mortgage Association Securities, Derivative and ERISA Litigation*, MDL No. 1668 (D.D.C.)
- *In re ICN.Viratek Securities Litigation*, No. 87-4296 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *In re Initial Public Offering Securities Litigation*, No. 21-92 (S.D.N.Y.)
- *Khoday et al. v. Symantec Corporation et al.*, No. 11-00180 (D. Minn.)
- *In re LaserMaster Technologies, Inc. Securities Litigation*, No. 95-631 (D. Minn.)
- *Little Gem Life Sciences LLC v. Orphan Medical, et al*, No. 06-1377 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Merck & Co., Inc. Securities, Derivative & ERISA Litigation*, No. 05-1151 (D. N.J.)
- *In re Select Comfort Corp. Securities Litigation*, No. 99-884 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Summit Medical Systems, Inc. Securities Litigation*, No. 97-558 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Telxon Securities Litigation*, No. 98-2876 (N.D. Ohio)

## Data Breach & Privacy Cases

- *Adkins v. Facebook, Inc.* No. 18-cv-05982 (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re Ashley Madison Customer Data Breach Security Litigation*, MDL NO. 2669 (E.D. Mo.)
- *In re Anthem, Inc. Data Breach*, No. 15-md-02617 (N.D. Cal.)
- *Baker v. ParkMobile, LLC*, No. 21-cv-2182 (N.D. Ga.)
- *In re Banner Health Data Breach Litigation*, No. 16-cv-02696 (D. Ariz)
- *Baysal v. Midvale Indemnity Company et al*, No. 21-cv-00394 (W.D. Wis.)
- *In re: Blackbaud, Inc. Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, No. 20-mn-02972 (D.S.C.)
- *Duqum v. Scottrade, Inc.* No. 15-cv-01537 (E.D. Mo)
- *Fero et al., v. Excellus Health Plan, Inc. et al.*, No. 15-06569 (W.D.N.Y.)
- *In re GEICO Customer Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-02210 (E.D.N.Y.)
- *Gitner v. U.S. Bank National Association et al.*, No. 20-cv-02101 (D. Minn)

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- *In re Google Android Consumer Privacy Litigation*, No. 11-md-2264 (N.D. Cal)
- *Greenstate Credit Union v. Hy-Vee, Inc.* No. 20-cv-00621 (D. Minn)
- *Greenstein et al. v. Noblr Reciprocal Exchange*, No. 21-04537 (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re iPhone Application Litigation*, No. 11-md-2250 (N.D. Cal)
- *In re Netgain Technology, LLC, Consumer Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-cv-01210 (D. Minn.)
- *SELCO Community Credit union v. Noodles & Company*, No. 16-02247 (D. Colo.)
- *Springmeyer v. Marriott International, Inc.*, No. 20-cv-00867 (D. Md.)
- *Smallman, et al. v. MGM Resorts International*, No. 20-cv-00375 (D. Nev)
- *Stallone v. Farmers Group Inc. et al.*, No. 210cv001659 (D. Nev)
- *Storm et al. v. Paytime, Inc.* No. 14-01138 (M.D. Pa.)
- *In re: Supervalu, Inc., Customer Data Security Breach Litigation*, MDL No. 2586 (D. Minn)
- *Village Bank v. Caribou Coffee Company, Inc. et al.*, No. 19-cv-01640 (D. Minn)
- *In re Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. Data Breach Litigation*, No. 21-cv-09203 (N.D. Cal.)
- *In re Warner Music Group Data Breach*, No. 20-cv-07473 (S.D.N.Y)
- *In re WaWa, Inc. Data Security Litigation*, No. 19-cv-06019 (E.D. Pa)
- *Zimmerman v. Riverplace Counseling Center, Inc.*, No. 02-cv-19-6522 (Anoka Cty. Dist. Ct.)

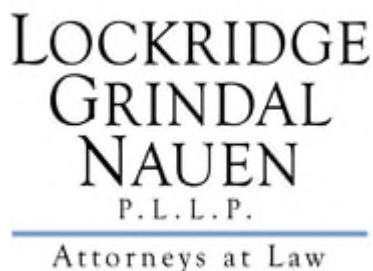
## Other Cases

- *In re Facebook, Inc. Customer Privacy User Profile Litigation*, No. 18-02843 (N.D. Cal)
- *Kirk Dahl, et al., v. Bain Capital Partners, LLC, et al.*, (the Private Equity Antitrust Litigation), No. 07-CV-12388 (D. Mass.) – Resulted in recovery of \$590.5 million for plaintiffs.
- *Johannessoehn et al v. Polaris Industries, Inc.* No. 16-cv-03348 (D. Minn.)
- *In re Payment Card Interchange Fee and Merchant Discount Antitrust Litigation*, MDL No. 1720 (E.D. NY)
- *In re Worldcom, Inc. Securities Litigation* No. 02-CV-3288 (S.D. NY) – Securities class action, which resulted in recovery of \$6.13 billion for plaintiffs
- *Exxon Valdez Oil Spill Litigation*, No. A89-0095 (D. Alaska)
- *In re Lutheran Brotherhood Variable Ins. Prod. Co. Sales Practices Litigation*, MDL No. 1309 (D. Minn)

## Presentations

- [Fundamentals of Data Security](#) at the Minnesota Building and Construction Trades Council (July 22, 2021)
- [The Exxon Valdez Experience](#) presented at Louisiana State Bar Associations Gulf Coast Oil Spill Symposium, May 25, 2010 in New Orleans.
- [Pitfalls of Class Action Notice and Claims Administration](#) presented at Practising Law Institute's Class Action Litigation Conference, July 9, 2014 in New York City.

- [The Other Data Breach Cases: Medical Records Cases and Cases on Behalf of Banks and Others](#) presented at HarrisMartin's Data Breach Litigation Conference, March 25, 2015 in San Diego.
- AAJ Education's Plaintiff-Only Hot Topics and Trends in Litigation Seminar, May 27, 2015 in Minneapolis.
- [Class Actions: Where to Begin](#) panel at HB Litigation Conferences' Mass Tort Med School + Class Actions, March 17, 2017 in Orlando.
- Presented at Practising Law Institute's Class Action Litigation 2017 program, June 21, 2017 in New York City.
- [Privacy & Data Security: Navigating the Challenges of Emerging Technologies](#) at the An Innovation Transformation: Navigating the Legal Risks and Business Opportunities of Disruptive Technologies conference, September 6, 2018.
- [Data Breach/Privacy Class Actions](#) at the Class Action Mastery Forum, January 16, 2019.
- [Maryland & Other Potential Venues](#) at the HarrisMartin's Data Breach Litigation Conference, January 29, 2019.
- [Data Breach Roundup: What's Hot with current litigations; Standing Issues; Crossovers; and More](#), at the Mass Torts Made Perfect Conference in Las Vegas.
- [Developments in Class Notion and Settlement Administration: Digital Notice & new Means of Distributions and Front-Loading the Class Cert Motion: Why Judges are Asking More of Lawyers Earlier and Earlier. Early Notice Plans, Damages Models, Science Days, and More](#) at the Mass Torts Made Perfect Conference, October 22-23, 2019 in Las Vegas.



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